MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to consider the question of affording medical relief also to the poor people who are suffering from malaria and who, due to the absence of roads, are now unable to receive medical aid now afforded by the Government?

MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI (*Tovala*): On a point of order, Sir. Is Mr. Truscott a medical man?

PRESIDENT: Partly; because, P. W. D. and Medicine have been jumbled together in one question. We have a mixture of the two Departments. Either of the two, the Chief Engineer or the Director of Public Health, had to take up the question. If the Director of Public Health had taken it up, he too would have been put to the same difficulty as Mr. Truscott is being put to now.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha I*): When an honourable member puts a question, is it open to any member, other than the one representing the Department concerned, to answer such question?

PRESIDENT: Next question, please.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): The Chief Engineer has not yet answered my question, Sir.

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*): I claim notice.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to enquire whether the people residing in the interior undergo serious inconvenience due to the absence of roads leading to the dispensaries?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*): It is a question of future action, Sir.

Transfer of a teacher in the Kuriyipuzha Primary School.

103. * MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any vacancy occurred in the Kuriyipuzha Primary School between 1st Edavam 1110 and 31st Kanni 1111;

(*b*) whether any teacher from the Kuriyipuzha Primary School was transferred to the Lower Grade Training School, Quilon;

(*c*) if so, when; and

(*d*) whether the transfer was effected at the request of the teacher concerned?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) & (*d*) These do not arise in view of the answer to part (*b*) above.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): With reference to part (*a*), may I know whether it was a permanent vacancy?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) No, Sir.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): Then, what was the nature of the vacancy?

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MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : Training vacancy.

MR K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*) : Where is that particular teacher undergoing training at present ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : Presumably, in the Lower Grade Training School, Quilon.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*) : Was anybody transferred from the Lower Grade Training School, Quilon, to the Kuriyipuzha Primary School ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : I claim notice.

Complaints referred to the Warkala Police.

104. *MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*) : Will the Government be pleased to state with respect to five months preceding from this date (2-2-1111) :

(*a*) how many complaints were referred to the Warkala Police by the two Magistrates at Attingal for enquiry and report ;

(*b*) how many such complaints were reported by the Police to be true and how many to be false ; and

(*c*) of those reported to be false, how many were taken into file by the Magistrates on the motion of parties ?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Ag. Commissioner of Police*) :

(*a*) 3.

(*b*) Three were reported as false.

(*c*) 2.

MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*) : Who was the Police Inspector that sent up that report ?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Ag. Commissioner of Police*) : Mr. Vaidyanatha Aiyar.

MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*) : Did he conduct proper enquiries in all these three cases ?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Ag. Commissioner of Police*) : I could not hear the member.

MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*) : I want to know whether that Police Inspector conducted a proper enquiry in all these three cases?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Ag. Commissioner of Police*) : I cannot say that now. The matter is now before the Magistrate ; he will give his finding about the enquiry.

MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*) : May I know whether the Commissioner is satisfied that, in all those three cases, the Inspector of Police conducted a proper enquiry ?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Ag. Commissioner of Police*) : As I have already stated, it is the Magistrate that has referred the complaints to the Warkala Police for report. If there is any complaint about the enquiry conducted by the Police Inspector, that complaint also will be placed before the Magistrate. The Commissioner of Police has not made enquiries in these cases.

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